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Applicant: Clifton A. Rau)	Serial No. 09/850,149
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Title: MODEL RAILROAD CONTROL)	Filing Date: May 8, 2001
AND DISPLAY SYSTEM)	
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

In complete response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated October 3, 2001 (copy enclosed), Applicant provides the following:

1. Enclosed herewith are a new set of compact discs pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(e).
2. The compact discs are labeled as replacement discs pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.52(4) and (6).
3. Applicant hereby certifies pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.52(e) that each disc of the duplicate set submitted herewith is identical to the other disc in the set.
4. The requisite statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.52(e)(3) listing the required information regarding the files which are electronically stored on the identical compact discs is submitted herewith on a separate sheet.
5. A Preliminary Amendment is also submitted herewith which amends the specification to identify each disc and the files contained therein including the file name, file size and file creation date.
6. No new matter is included in the enclosed replacement compact disc set.

It is believed that the foregoing in conjunction, with the enclosures, satisfies the requirements of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers and that no fees are due in conjunction with this response. If, however, additional information is needed, the Office is urged to contact the undersigned at (571)-277-2326.

Respectfully submitted,

By: 

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Date: October 18, 2001



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STATEMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(e)(3)

Sir:

Each of the replacement compact discs submitted herewith have the following information stored thereon.

Machine Format: IBM-PC

Operating System Compatability: MS-Windows

List of Files: EZHEADER Size: 2KB Created: 10/7/01
EZRESWK Size: 1KB Created: 10/7/01
EZSWITCH Size: 36KB Created: 10/8/01
EZPWMNU Size: 2KB Created: 10/7/01

These ASCII text files can be viewed using Windows Explorer.

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

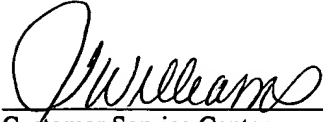
The compact disc(s) submitted fail to comply with 37 CFR 1.52(e) in that they contain non-ASCII files. A new duplicate set of compact discs with only ASCII files is required. Any replacement compact disc submitted should be accompanied by a certification as required by 37 CFR 1.52(e) that each disc of a duplicate set is identical to the other disc of the set. If a directory of the disc could be printed, it is attached and non-ASCII files are marked on the directory listing.

The compact disc(s) submitted fail to comply with 37 CFR 1.52(e) in that only a single copy of each disc was provided. A duplicate copy of each compact disc must be provided on Compact Disc-Read Only Memory (CD-ROM) or a Compact Disc-Recordable (CD-R) media. Any replacement compact discs submitted should be accompanied by a certification as required by 37 CFR 1.52(e) that each disc of a duplicate set is identical to the other disc of the set.

This application is objected to because it contains a data file on CD-ROM/CD-R, however, the transmittal letter does not list for each compact disc, the machine format, the operating system compatibility, a list of files contained on the compact disc including their names, sizes in bytes, and dates of creation, plus any other special information that is necessary to identify, maintain, and interpret the information on the compact disc as required by 37 CFR 1.52(e)(3). A statement listing the required information is required. Additionally, the disc(s) is not identified in the paper portion of the specification with a listing of all of the files contained on the disc. When portions of

an application are contained on a compact disc, the paper portion of the specification must identify the compact disc(s) and list the files including name, file size, and creation date on each of the compact discs. See 37 CFR 1.52(e). Applicant(s) are required to amend the specification to identify each disc and the files contained on the disc including the file name, file size, and file creation date.

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